

THE INDIANA IN PORT

With a Cargo of American Food for the Starving Russians.

DE MORAES THE VICTOR IN A DUEL.

Bodies of Russians and Austrians Meet in Deadly Conflict.

NEWS FROM THE FOREIGN CAPITALS

LIBAU, RUSSIA, March 16.—The American steamer Indiana, flying the American flag, steamed into the harbor to-day. She is laden with provisions for the relief of the starving Russian peasantry.

Soon after the news of the arrival of the Indiana had reached Libau the Russian cruiser Strach, commanded by Captain Davidoff, having on board J. M. Crawford, the American Consul at St. Petersburg; Count Bobrinski, chief of the famine relief committee; Mr. Bornholdt, American Consul at Riga; the President of the St. Petersburg Bourse, and other notable persons, proceeded to welcome her. Flags were flying on all the vessels in the harbor and the wharves were crowded with enthusiastic people. The warship was followed by the steamer Concordia, which had on board the Bourse Committee and a large number of guests. As the vessels neared the Indiana a military band played "The Star Spangled Banner," and a salute was fired. The gentlemen from the Strach and Concordia boarded the Indiana and speeches of welcome and thanks were made.

A dispatch from Philadelphia says: Mayor Stuart to-day received the following cablegram from the committee of citizens sent to Russia to superintend the distribution of the cargo of flour and provisions taken from this port for the relief of starving Russian peasantry:

The arrangement proposed by Minister Smith for the distribution of cargo is excellent. It will be shipped in 200 Russian carriages, to ten provinces, comprising 40 districts, consigned to carefully selected, trustworthy persons, who will see to the proper distribution of the cargo. The cargo is in good condition. The provisions cannot be reached for weeks. We had interviewed with the Minister of the Imperial Household, who is Vice President of the famine relief committee, yesterday. Russia is deeply grateful, he states. The distress is not exaggerated, and any American contribution will be gratefully received. Distress must naturally increase as the season advances. We advise, therefore, sending the cargo as early as possible. The cargo, from official information, have started in Voronezh province. Send Iowa corn to the provinces, cattle, or farmin will be impossible, consequently the famine will be repeated. Telegraph Mayor Washington, the Chicago Board of Trade and other places, to help humanity. The Indiana is expected shortly.

MAY RESUME MONDAY.

Whether the Mine Strike Is to Last One or Two Weeks Is Not Decided.

LONDON, March 16.—The delegates to the meeting of the Miners' Federation to-day held a private conference in this city. Their decision as to the time the holiday of the miners will continue has been deferred until to-morrow. A majority of the delegates are in favor of resuming work on Monday. The prices of coal have declined in London and Manchester, and there promises to be a heavy reduction before Monday.

The conference adopted a resolution which, while sympathizing with the relatives of those who lost their lives by the appalling accident in the Andover colliery, expressed regret that women and girls should be employed in the mines of Belgium.

The Cumberland and Lancashire men are anxious to resume work on Monday, but the Yorkshire men want a fortnight's holiday. The Durham men are determined not to submit to their masters, many of whom are, also, desirous of clearing off the stock they have on hand at present, and are in a hurry to resume operations in the mines. A cable dispatch from Berlin says: Herr Schroder, the leader in the Westphalian strike of 1890, is trying to agitate the question of limitation of the output of coal in this country for the purpose of helping the English miners. There are little signs, however, of the success of his scheme.

MORE ANARCHIST PLAYTHINGS

Discovered by Means of Search Warrants in the Hands of Paris Police.

PARIS, March 16.—Additional search warrants of suspected anarchists' houses have been issued, and the police are making a thorough search of the places known to be occupied by anarchists. Thirty-five lodgings have already been closely examined, and five of the occupants have been arrested. The search is still going on.

As a result of the rigorous search a discovery has been made which may possibly lead to the detection of the persons concerned in the various explosions which have recently occurred here. The police overhauled a collection of articles which were evidently intended to be used in the manufacture of explosive machines. The officers were making an examination of a certain house, and while searching some rooms they discovered a quantity of cyanide of potassium and a number of electric cells and candle cases. They were found in the rooms of an anarchist living at St. Denis, a town in the Department of Seine, 5 1/2 miles north of the center of Paris. A bomb fully charged with the deadly explosive was also discovered.

The bomb was found in the Faubourg St. Antoine.

THE PORK WASN'T SALTED ENOUGH.

PARIS, March 16.—Mr. Reid, the United States Consul at Havre, complains regarding the seizure of a few pieces of pork in a shipment of 150 boxes by Armour & Co. The French inspectors destroyed that the pieces of pork were destroyed. Armour & Co., however, protested. It was charged by the inspectors that the meat in question was infected with trichina, but simply that it had not been sufficiently salted.

216 Mala Vita Society Arrests.

ROME, March 16.—The arrests of a number of the Mala Vita Society at Tarento have reached a total of 216. The leader is a man of 60 years, who has served several terms in the galleys. Most of the members are convicted criminals. Many of the members have not yet been arrested, being in hiding.

The Countess Must Pay the Costs.

LONDON, March 16.—The appeal of the Countess Russell against the decision of the court, ordering her to pay the costs of her unsuccessful action for judicial separation from her husband, Earl Russell, has been dismissed. The Countess will, therefore, have to pay the costs.

Russia Overrun by Crime.

LONDON, March 16.—The Chronicle's correspondent at St. Petersburg reports an alarming increase of passionate crimes throughout Russia. Murders due to jealousy, double suicides of lovers, etc., are mentioned as especially prevalent.

An Alpine Avalanche.

ROME, March 16.—An avalanche occurred to-day at Belluno, a city of North Italy, 51 miles north of Venice. Eight persons were overwhelmed and killed by the immense mass of snow, and considerable property was destroyed.

Belgian Anarchists Sentenced.

LIEGE, March 16.—In the Criminal Court here to-day three anarchists, who were charged with breaking into a powder mill and stealing 500 pounds of dynamite and with afterward attempting to blow up the magazine, were found guilty. One of the men was sentenced to 15 years and the other two each to 12 years' penal servitude.

A DUEL TO THE DEATH

Fought by De Moraes, the Famous French Politician, and M. Isaac, a Government Official.—The Latter Will Probably Die From a Sword Thrust.

PARIS, March 16.—A duel was fought this morning between the Marquis De Moraes and M. Isaac, the Sub-Prefect of Fournes. The cause was a letter which the Marquis published some time ago, reflecting upon the character of M. Isaac. Isaac was dangerously wounded in the right breast, and great loss of blood caused the seconds to forbid the duel proceeding.

Ever since the Fourmies riots, when the military, at the instigation, it is claimed, of M. Isaac, fired among the working people, killing and wounding women and children, as well as men, M. Isaac has been the object of frequent and bitter attack on the part of the Socialists. He was upheld by M. Constans, and this was one prominent cause of that Minister's unpopularity, and indirectly of the disruption of the Cabinet and the rejection of M. Constans by the new Premier, M. Loubet.

The incident of the duel between the Marquis and M. Isaac, however, was not a matter of the skill and impetuosity of his antagonist. The Marquis evidently meant to kill, and Isaac knew it. Both men kept their presence of mind, or the fight would have ended at once, for the Marquis was ready to take advantage of the slightest slip on the part of Isaac, who showed a skill that encouraged his friends, and seemed to astonish de Moraes.

It was by a skillful feint that de Moraes succeeded in disabling his man. He made a thrust as if at the left breast, and as Isaac made a motion to parry the blow, de Moraes, with almost inconceivable swiftness, struck fiercely and forcibly to the right, plunging his weapon into the breast of Isaac. The latter staggered, the blood pouring from the wound. He held to his sword, and made a motion to attack de Moraes again. The latter stood calm and turning to his second asked for a cigar. This was handed to him, and, lighting it, he quietly and while the condition of Isaac was being examined.

ENGLAND'S GAME LAWS DOOMED.

The Execution of Two Poachers To-Day Raises a Tremendous Outcry.

LONDON, March 16.—At the Aylesbury Assizes February 23 Charles Raynor, Frederick Egglestone and Walter Smith were tried for the murder of Joseph Crawley, a gamekeeper at Pittstone, December 12, 1891. A second indictment charged them with the murder of William Puddephat, another gamekeeper, at the same time and place. Raynor and Egglestone were found guilty of wilful murder and sentenced to be hanged March 17. Smith was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to 20 years' penal servitude. The accused were poachers, and the killing took place in a field to escape from the gamekeeper. The case was a sensational one, and the trial attracted a large number of spectators.

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RUSSIAN SOLDIERS KILLED

In an Encounter With a Body of Austrian Troops on the Frontier.

VIENNA, March 16.—A dispatch from Wlodka, in Galicia, states that a conflict occurred there to-day between a number of Austrian and Russian soldiers and that two of the Russians were killed. The affair has created the most intense excitement among the Russian frontier guards, and they threaten to take revenge for the death of their countrymen. The Austrian gendarmes have been ordered to exercise the strictest vigilance on the frontier.

The details received of the unfortunate affair are very meager, but it is thought here that it was the result of a drunken quarrel. A report locates the occurrence at Mielnica.

AUSTRALIANS STARVING NOW.

Women and Children Besieging the Brisbane Labor Bureau for Aid.

BRISBANE, QUEENSLAND, March 16.—Much suffering has been caused by the stagnation of the various industries in this colony, and quite a number of persons are starving on the verge of starvation to-day. 400 women and children besieged the Labor Bureau in this city, begging for relief. The crush was so great that many of the weaker women fainted.

In many cases husbands have left the city and gone into the country seeking work, and the women and children are dependent upon the Government for food to keep them alive.

Old World Brevities.

The Tiber has overflowed part of Rome. CHINESE mobs have looted another Christian chapel.

BUFFALO BILL'S "Wild West" show has collapsed in London.

The French Government is engaged in a grand Anarchist hunt.

Another batch of marine disasters is reported from the British Isles.

The liabilities of the defunct London banking firm of Murietta & Co., limited, are said to be over \$200,000.

SCHMIDT, the Vienna murderer of servant girls, will be executed to-day. The sentence of his wife was commuted.

A FIERCE explosion in a mine near the Austrian village of Lillienfeld, killed three persons and wounded six others.

The failure of Guensburg, the Hebrew banker, St. Petersburg, is ascribed to bold speculation of the manager of the Paris branch.

The American relief steamer Indiana, laden with provisions for the starving Russians, landed at St. Petersburg yesterday afternoon.

The Russian Consulate in Constantinople has secured the release of Schastmanoff, the alleged assassin of Dr. Volkovitch, the Bulgarian agent.

During a political meeting in a house in Dublin Tuesday, the floor of the room collapsed and all present were plunged into the cellar below. Many were injured seriously, and were taken to hospitals.

The cessation of the Russian press attacks on Germany is attributed to an expression of the czar's personal wish at a recent council to which Count Schuchburt, the Russian Ambassador to Germany, and General Gourko, the Governor General of Warsaw, were present.

A Bank Run Safely Weathered.

ROCKVILLE, CONN., March 16.—A rumor became current among the German citizens of the city last night in regard to the solvency of the savings bank of Rockville, and a run has been in progress since it opened to-day. The run continued until late this afternoon, but it is thought to be practically over to-night. The bank paid 125 depositors a total of \$25,000. A number of persons returned their money to the bank this evening.

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SOME DECIDED CUTS

And One Big Increase in the Twenty-Second Ward, First District.

RESULTS OF THE REVISIONS.

The Bulk of the Reductions Are Upon the Acreage Property.

INDIVIDUAL APPEALS ACTED UPON

The Board of Assessors have completed the revision of the assessment in the first district of the Twenty-second ward and are hard at work on the second district. As the bulk of the ward is acreage property no rule for valuation could be followed as in other wards and the figures given below represent appeals granted. They indicate the valuation of neighboring properties except where in individual cases there are circumstances affecting the value, making it more or less valuable than the lot.

Joseph Longway, Sr., 4 1/2 acres on Forbes street, reduced to \$5,000 an acre; 17 1/2 acres tract on Forbes street, \$5,000 an acre; 7-acre tract opposite Juncosire street, reduced to \$4,500 an acre.

George W. Morris, lots on Forbes and French streets, reduced to \$40 per front foot; acreage on Forbes street reduced to \$7,500 an acre.

Hugh McMeesters, two acres on McCombs street, reduced from \$6,000 to \$5,000 an acre, and all property in the same block at the same rate.

Caroline Hockberg, on Forbes near Wightman street, reduced to \$50 per front foot and all lots in same block at same price.

John Steele, six acres, Juncosire street, assessed at \$4,000 an acre; on appeal, said property is held at \$7,000 and no reduction is allowed.

One Case of Doubling Up.

On Wilkins avenue the reductions made on a lot are as follows: D. B. Bruce, reduced from \$8,000 to \$7,000 per acre; Mrs. L. B. Reed, \$8,000 to \$7,000; S. F. Daum, \$8,000 to \$7,000; J. J. Ricketts, \$1,000 to \$800; Bridget Douglas, \$1,000 to \$800. The property of William Sutchens is increased from \$1,000 to \$2,000 an acre.

Keuben Miller, Fifth avenue, near Neville street, front of two acres fixed at \$30,000, and rear at \$18,000.

William Force heirs, Forbes street, 3 1/2 acres, reduced to \$11,000 an acre; was assessed at \$8,500 entire.

Eliza T. Edwards, Forbes street, three acres, front, \$10,000 an acre; two in rear at \$11,000 an acre.

Emma A. Adams, 9 1/2 acres, Forbes street; two acres in front, \$10,000 an acre and balance \$4,000 an acre.

Judge Moore, Forbes street, four acres front at \$10,000 an acre and balance at \$2,000.

Mary S. Wightman, Forbes street, reduced to \$7,000 an acre.

B. G. O'Brien, four acres, 110 perches Forbes, near Edgerton street, reduced to \$3,000 an acre and put in agricultural class.

Thomas Wightman, Forbes street, 2 1/2 acres Forbes street, near Murray avenue, reduced to \$7,000 an acre.

W. A. Adams, Snady avenue, reduced from \$4,000 to \$3,000 an acre.

Kate Beeler, nine acres Wilkins avenue, reduced from \$5,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

Margaret Brown, 6 1/2 acres, Forbes and Wightman streets, reduced from \$9,000 to \$7,000 an acre.

James B. Carline, 1 1/2 acres, Neville street, reduced from \$10,000 to \$7,000 an acre.

Mrs. Alex. Chambers, two acres on Fifth avenue, reduced from \$20,000 to \$15,000 an acre; two acres on Forbes street from \$25,000 to \$15,000; six acres, in rear of above, to \$6,000 an acre.

Mary B. Dilworth, lots Fifth near Wilkins avenue, reduced from \$140 to \$125 per front foot.

Isabel DeRoy, 1 1/2 acres between Forbes and Fifth avenue, reduced from \$10,000 to \$8,000 an acre.

One Very Decided Reduction.

Alex. Frow heirs, two acres, Forbes, near Juncosire street, from \$10,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

Freese & Aufderhild, 11 acres, Forward avenue and Murray street, from \$8,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Walton Ferguson, 4 1/2 acres, Forbes, near Neville street, from \$20,000 to \$5,000 an acre; two acres on Fifth avenue, from \$25,000 to \$30,000 an acre.

John W. Geyer, 4 acres, Phillips avenue, from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre; 3 1/2 acres in rear, from \$2,000 to \$800.

John Gowler, lots Homestead street, from \$10 to \$8 per front foot.

Margaret Hays, 3 1/2 acres, Nine-mile Run, 5 acres Forward avenue, from \$1,500 to \$1,000 an acre; 1 1/2 acres, near Juncosire street, from \$5,000 to \$2,000 an acre.

Thomas A. Howe, heirs, 3 acres on Fifth avenue, from \$5,000 to \$2,000 an acre; 6 acres at \$6,000 an acre.

House & Spear, 19 acres Shady avenue, \$2,800 to \$2,000 an acre; 10 acres, near Juncosire street, from \$1,500 to \$1,000 an acre.

Fifth and Shady avenues fixed at \$125 per front foot; 14 acres on Shady avenue at \$6,000 an acre; 3 acres, near Juncosire street, from \$5,000 to \$2,000 an acre.

Jeffrey, 1 1/2 acres, near Fifth avenue at Neville street cut from \$12,000 to \$7,000 an acre; 10 percent from \$100 per front foot. George Jackson, 34 acres 118 perches, Nine-mile Run, reduced from \$1,000 to \$700 an acre.

Kennedy, nine acres, Wilkins avenue, cut from \$7,000 to \$4,000 an acre. James I. Kay, 1 1/2 acres, near Juncosire street, from \$8,000 to \$7,000; 3 1/2 acres, Edgerton avenue, \$6,000 to \$5,000.

D. Collinswood, 7 1/2 acres, Wilkins, near Shady avenue, reduced from \$6,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Pease Chapman, 10 acres, Shady avenue, near Four-mile road, reduced from \$3,000 to \$2,000 an acre.

Water Chess, 2 1/2 acres, Edgerton and Wightman streets, reduced from \$5,000 to \$4,000.

Andrew Cupples, lots on Whipple street, reduced from \$10 to \$8 per front foot.

Bridget Douglas, 1 1/2 acres, Squirrel Hill, reduced from \$1,000 to \$900 an acre.

G. W. Dilworth, lot on Fifth, near Juncosire street, from \$1,500 to \$1,000 an acre.

Julia H. Davis, lot Forbes, near Neville street, reduced from \$70 to \$50 per front foot.

James Lyon, 15 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$800 to \$700 an acre; 1 1/2 acres, 5 1/2 acres, Shady avenue, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Forbes street, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre. Mary C. Loughrey, 3 1/2 acres, Forbes street, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Frank DeRoy, 1 1/2 acres, near Juncosire street, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Dr. Frank Le Moyne, 140 perches Wightman street and 1 1/2 acres, near Juncosire street, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

Randall Morton, 15 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$1,000 to \$750 an acre.

In the Agricultural Class.

James Murdoch, 18 acres Forbes street, cut from \$10,000 to \$8,000 an acre (agricultural); 4 1/2 acres Homewood avenue, cut from \$5,000 to \$3,000 an acre (agricultural).

C. A. Morton, eight acres Four-Mile Run road, cut from \$4,000 to \$1,800 an acre. Isaac Mills & Co., 24 acres Second avenue, near City Farm, cut from \$1,000 to \$600 an acre; 40 acres in rear same reduction. James B. Murdoch, 3 acres Wightman street, cut from \$4,000 to \$3,500 an acre (agricultural).

M. L. Morton, 5 1/2 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$1,000 to \$900.

Ernest Succop, 1 1/2 acres, Four-Mile Run road, cut from \$800 to \$700 an acre.

K. Sahi, 3 acres, Forward avenue, cut from \$5,000 to \$1,000 an acre. A. D. Shaw, 50 acres, Forbes street, cut from \$2,000 to \$800.

J. P. Smith, 1 1/2 acres, Forward avenue, cut from \$2,500 to \$1,500. Louisa Schuler, 6 acres, Shady avenue, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500.

Benjamin Traw, 10 acres, Wilkins avenue, opposite Murray street, cut from \$5,000 to \$3,000 an acre.

Forbes street, cut from \$300 to \$200 per front foot. J. J. Vandergift, three acres, Fifth avenue, near Four-Mile Run, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500 an acre.

George I. Whitney, 1 1/2 acres, Forward avenue, cut from \$1,000 to \$700 an acre.

Mary Wightman, 1 acre, Forbes street, near Murray avenue, cut from \$10,000 to \$7,000 an acre.

R. Q. Whitman, 5 acres, Forward avenue, cut from \$2,500 to \$2,000 an acre.

Morris McCombs, 3 1/2 acres, Wilkins avenue, cut from \$5,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

James McKelvey, 32 acres, on B. & O. R. R. cut from \$1,200 to \$800.

A. W. R. Nimick, 1 1/2 acres, Murdoch street, cut from \$2,000 to \$1,500.

Roger O'Mara, 1 1/2 acres, Homewood and Shady avenues, cut from \$6,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

H. B. Phillips, 1 1/2 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$1,000 to \$750 an acre.

Thomas Phelps, 8 acres, Squirrel Hill (property since sold to which Count Schuchburt, the Russian Ambassador to Germany, and General Gourko, the Governor General of Warsaw, were present).

T. C. Pitsman, lot, Forbes street, near Murdoch, cut from \$800 to \$500 per front foot.

J. J. Ricketts, 5 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$1,000 to \$800 an acre.

George W. Reed, 1 1/2 acres, Daum street, cut from \$7,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

John M. Roberts, 1 acre 25 perches, Forbes street, cut from \$10,000 to \$4,000 an acre.

6 acres, Squirrel Hill, cut from \$5,000 to \$1,500.

6 acres, Phillips avenue, from \$2,000 to \$1,500; 8 acres, Shady avenue, from \$3,000 to \$1,500.

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